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Tuesday was an exceptionally warm day for this time of the year.

FROTHINGHAM FAR IN LEAD.

Result of Republican Primaries in Bay State.

CONTEST WAS VERY WARM

Present Incumbents Win In Congressional Districts Where There Were Rivals For Honors—Draper Will Have No Opposition to Nomination For Governor—Lomasney-Fitzgerald Forces Beaten In Boston.

Boston, Sept. 23.—The feature of the Republican primaries held throughout the state was the spirited contest for the lieutenant governorship of the party ticket between three well known men, Speaker John N. Cole of Andover, former Speaker Louis A. Frothingham of Boston and Representative Robert Luce of Somerville, there being no opposition to the advancement of Lieutenant Governor Draper of Hopedale to the first place on the ticket for the November election.

Returns in the contest for lieutenant governor from 22 cities and 262 towns give Frothingham 467, Cole 293, Luce 245, unpledged or doubtful 105, a total of 1110, out of a total to the state convention of Oct. 3 of 1550.

The caucuses also decided four interesting congressional contests, those among the Republican candidates in the Second and Fourth districts, and, through the operation of the "joint caucus act," Democratic contests in the Ninth and Tenth districts. In the Second district, Congressman Gillette won a sweeping victory over former Senator Folger of Northampton, while in the Fourth district, Congressman Levering of Taunton was favored for another term over Senator Whendy of Abington. In this city Congressman Kellher and O'Connell, both Democrats, won in the Ninth and Tenth districts.

The fight for the lieutenant governorship among the Republicans began last spring and was waged with the utmost vigor by the three candidates, especially during the past six weeks. The campaign, however, was utterly devoid of personalities, all three candidates frequently speaking on the same platform or behind the same banquet table. They all, however, made several tours of the state, and shook hands with thousands of voters.

In this city the contest was a particularly warm one, but Frothingham succeeded in winning a majority of the delegates, getting 131 out of a total of 237, leaving 71 for Cole and 35 for Luce. Returns show that Frothingham was also strong in Norfolk, Barnstable and Worcester counties, and picked up many delegates in other parts of the state.

There were an unusually large number of contests for committee, senatorial and representative nominations, but as the vote for lieutenant governor was counted first the result of these other contests was not known until a late hour.

The towns of Nahant and Dalton sent Senators Lodge and Chase as delegates, but refused to place them for any one of the three candidates.

There was a particularly spirited fight in the town of Andover, Cole's home, but he was successful in winning the four delegates by a vote of 333 to 180.

Notwithstanding it was an ideal day for getting out the voters and that there were numerous bitter contests in many of the wards, the vote of Boston at the primaries was light, compared with many other years. Frothingham carried the city by a strong majority.

The predictions proved false in some of the wards, the biggest surprise being the capture of ward 23 by the Frothingham ticket, Luce having claimed the ward. Cole carried ward 10, Boston's strongest ward, but it was a close call and Cole won out by but thirty votes. Considerable significance is given to the fact that Luce took the eighteen delegates in ward 25, which is the home ward of Mayor Hibbard, who had championed the Frothingham ticket. The anti-Lucas element had much to do with the vote, however.

In the congressional fights, Congressman O'Connell won the Democratic nomination of the Tenth district, even defeating Leland of South Boston in the latter's own district. The contest has been one of the hottest and most strenuous of the campaign. In the Ninth district Kellher, his opponent, Conry, who had the backing of the Lomasney and Fitzgerald forces, being defeated.

A DROP IN WAGES.

Palmer, Mass., Sept. 23.—The 600 operatives employed at the cotton mills of the Thorndike company have been notified that a reduction in wages will go into effect on Monday next and that the plant will go on a full-time schedule at the same time. The mills have been running only four days a week since last November.

GERMANY ON MOROCCO.

Berlin, Sept. 23.—Germany's reply to the Franco-Spanish note on Morocco was delivered last evening. The tone of the note is most conciliatory, but Germany makes the point plain that she cannot permit any power to occupy an extraordinary position in relation to Morocco.

NEW YORK HARD PRESSED.

Winning of Today's Game Will Place the Chicago in the Lead.

Chicago's double victory over New York on the latter's home grounds yesterday brought the leaders down to within six points of their formidable western rivals for the National League pennant. It now needs but the winning of today's game by Chicago to put that club in the lead in the race. So narrow is the margin and so easily may it be wiped out altogether, that interest in the two games of the Chicago series yet to be played is at the very highest pitch. Pittsburgh dropped back a bit, as compared with Chicago, by winning but one game to the latter club's two, but gained materially on New York. The record this morning is as follows:

	Won	Lost	Pct
New York	87	50	.635
Chicago	90	53	.629
Pittsburgh	88	54	.620

At New York:	R	H	E
Chicago	4	9	1
New York	3	8	3

Second game:	R	H	E
Chicago	3	9	0
New York	1	6	0

Batteries—Brown and Kling:	Crandall	McGuinity	Bresnahan
At Brooklyn:	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	3	10	0
Brooklyn	2	7	3

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Batteries—Maddox and Gibson; Pas-			
terius and Farmer.			
At Boston:	R	H	E

Batteries—Mattern and Smith:	Baldwin	Salles	and Moran
At Philadelphia:	R	H	E
Philadelphia	10	11	2
Cincinnati	2	7	2

Batteries—Corrigan and Dooin:	Ewing	Saville	and Schell
At Philadelphia:	R	H	E
Philadelphia	10	11	2
Cincinnati	2	7	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland drew further ahead in the American League race, again defeating New York, while Detroit was once more beaten by Boston. Chicago and St. Louis did not play, and the former team is now but one point behind the latter. The record is:

	Won	Lost	Pct
Cleveland	82	60	.577
Detroit	79	60	.568
Chicago	80	61	.567
St. Louis	77	62	.554

At Cleveland:	R	H	E
Cleveland	7	9	0
New York	0	6	4

Batteries—Joss, Bemis and Land:			
Hogg, Manning, Blair and Sweetney.			
At Detroit:	R	H	E
Boston	4	12	2
Detroit	1	8	2

Willett	1	8	2
Batteries—Cleaver and Donohue				
Willett and Schmidt,				

A STOCK MARKET FLURRY.

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New York, Sept. 23.—The stock market showed more disturbance yesterday than at any time since the troubled period of last October. In the time of the panic, sensational and repeated downward plunges in prices followed each other, and it was not until late in the day that any material relief was shown from the drastic purging process under way. Enormous lines of stocks were thrown upon the market without apparent regard to the price they would bring. The day's sales aggregated 1,420,000 shares.

BRAKER LEFT \$1,000,000 ESTATE.

New York, Sept. 23.—The probating in this city of the will of Henry J. Braker, a millionaire importer, reveals the source of the \$500,000 bequest to Tufts college for founding a school of finance and accounts. Nearly \$1,000,000 is disposed of by the bequests of the will, which include \$125,000 left in trust to Miss Braker, with power of disposal by will, and \$1,000,000 for founding in this city a Braker memorial house. Braker died in England late last month.

WAST FOREST FIRES.

North Creek, N. Y., Sept. 23.—The forest fire conditions in all parts of the Adirondacks are growing worse hourly, with no sign of relief. Although fully 5,000 men are engaged in fighting the flames, not a single fire has been checked and the smaller burning areas are rapidly spreading into vast conflagrations. At least 500,000 acres of valuable forest lands are ablaze, and the extent of the destruction may be much greater.

NO FEAR OF CHOLERA.

New York, Sept. 23.—Dr. Doty, health officer of the port of New York, declares that he is not at all disturbed by the wide spread of cholera, typhoid, plague and yellow fever in various parts of the world from which immigration comes to America. In the event, however, of the appearance of cholera here it would be met, he says, by the most thoroughly equipped and disease-fighting force in the world.

NAT GOODWIN WANTS DIVORCE.

Hon., Sept. 23.—Nat C. Goodwin, the actor, has filed suit for divorce against his wife, known on the stage as Maxine Elliott. Goodwin's attorneys refuse to give out any information regarding the suit. Goodwin left home last night.

EPIDEMIC IS RECORDING.

Manila, Sept. 23.—Official reports give only eleven deaths and thirty-five new cases of cholera for the twenty-four hours ended at 5 o'clock this morning. This is the smallest gain made by the plague in several days.

BRYAN'S POLICY OF "PROMISE."

Taft Devotes Himself to an Analysis of His Opponent.

PROPHECIES ALL FAILED.

Twelve Years Hunting For an Issue Upon Which to Achieve the Presidency, During Which Time the Democratic Leader Has Run Away From National Responsibilities—His Election Would Paralyze Business.

Cincinnati, Sept. 23.—What William H. Taft really thinks of William J. Bryan as a statesman and a politician was told last night by the Republican candidate to the National League of Republican Clubs. The Bryan feature of Taft's speech centered about the conclusion of a 10,000-word address in which the accomplishments and purposes of the Republican party were contrasted with what the speaker termed the Democratic record of opposition and promise. "Turning now to the other picture," said Taft, after his review of the issues, "what is it that we have to expect from Mr. Bryan? Have we anything to expect but what he promises? Have we anything to expect but what is based upon his eloquence and his adroitness as a public orator? Has he ever given any practical demonstration of his ability to meet problems and solve them? Has he ever done anything but formulate propositions in his closet of an utterly impracticable character, largely with a view of attracting votes by their plausibility and very little with a view of their operation?"

"What is the history of Mr. Bryan? It is from the beginning to end a record of failures on public questions. We find him first in congress, in the second administration of Mr. Cleveland, a member of the ways and means committee and most active in formulating the provisions of the Sherman-Wilson tariff bill. After five months' debate, it passed both houses and came to Mr. Cleveland in such a shape that he denounced it as a piece of perfidy. "After having assisted in this suicidal policy, after the country was nearly dead, after the farmers and the wage-earners were staggering in debt and mortgages, penalty and almost starvation, Bryan defeats the efforts of the only great Democrat they have had in the party for many years, Grover Cleveland, and looks at him billingsgate and denunciation for what reason? Because he opposes Bryan's policy, that of the free release of silver without the consent of any other nation."

"In that campaign Bryan prophesied that the continuation of the gold standard and monetary uncertainty in employment of labor and hardship to the wage-earner; that it would send down the price of farm products—when I saw 50 cents; even below 30 cents, and out to 5 cents. He did not have to live two years to see every prophecy that he made in that campaign refuted by the fact."

"Then there came on the campaign of 1896. In that campaign he still relied on his free silver fallacy. But last the issue of free silver had become a little shopworn he brought out as a paramount issue that of anti-imperialism. He announced that if he were not elected in the next election, imperialism would have ceased to be in this country, the celebration of the Fourth of July would become a memory, and that liberty would die. His indignation on this question continued the war in the Philippines, he lost the authority of the United States for nearly two years longer, and many a poor fellow who lost his life in the service of his country in those distant islands owes it directly to the inspiration which the opposition of the Democracy under Bryan made to the policy of Mr. McKinley in the Philippines. He was beaten on these issues, and we can time to celebrate the Fourth of July with relief."

"At the end of the next four years Mr. Parker was nominated. Bryan still insisted on insisting in the platform a clause in favor of free silver, but it was left out. He then joined with Parker in making the permanent issue the tyranny of Theodore Roosevelt, executive usurpation, and imperialism. He denounced Roosevelt as completely subject to corporate interests and held up to the country the cankers of war to which it would be subject under a Roosevelt administration. Although the silver policy was being pushed in the Philippines as before, imperialism had ceased to be then a permanent issue."

"The prophecy which Bryan made with reference to the war in the Philippines of Roosevelt and his collection to cooperate in the future had only to wait some two years to find them fully refuted. For never in the history of the world has any chief executive had such a triumph in making peace as Theodore Roosevelt. In the Russo-Japanese war, in Central America, in Santo Domingo and in Cuba, and never in the history of the country has there been such a complete triumph over the corporate influence as that which Theodore Roosevelt has wrought during the present administration."

"In the campaign of 1908 and in previous campaigns Bryan has denounced imperialism and imperialism, but this year he was elected that the visit of our navy to the Pacific had aroused

such an interest in the navy and made it so popular on that coast that his Pacific friends persuaded him to approve a plank in the platform for an adequate navy for the protection of the Pacific coast. Yet with characteristic inconsistency Bryan attacks the Republican party for making suitable appropriations for the increase of our naval force."

"In 1906 Bryan went around the world and upon his return he declared that he was convinced that the only solution of the railroad problem ultimately would be government ownership. He had previously declared in favor of a national initiative and referendum and also in favor of the election of federal judges. All these most radical propositions have now been excluded from the Democratic platform."

"The record of Bryan and his character as it is understood by a twelve years' acquaintance with him have impressed the business community of this country and those whose judgments determine whether or not capital shall be invested that he is not a safe man with whom to try experiments in government; that he loves financial theories that are full of sophistry and are impracticable; that he advances propositions with but little sense of responsibility as to how they may be carried out in practice, and that he gives but little attention to the welfare of the conservative business community in his suggestions of reform."

"Certainly his record justified this judgment of him by the business men. If he were to be elected, it will mean a paralysis of business, and we should have a recurrence of the disastrous business conditions of the last Democratic administration."

CHARGES AGAINST HASKELL.

Bryan Calls Upon Roosevelt to Produce Proof of His Assertions.

Detroit, Sept. 23.—The most sensational development in the present campaign was the sending yesterday by William J. Bryan of a telegram to President Roosevelt demanding that he produce proof that Governor Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic national committee, ever was connected with the Standard Oil company.

Sending upon the opportunity, this afforded him, Bryan took occasion to serve notice on the president that he would not permit any responsible member of the Republican organization to misrepresent the attitude of the Democratic party in the present campaign, and further, that the Democratic party was making "an honorable and honest fight" in defense of its principles and policies and that it expected and demanded fair and honorable treatment from those in charge of the Republican campaign.

Copies of the telegram were given out for publication just before Bryan's departure for Ann Arbor late in the afternoon. The program of the local committee included an opportunity for Bryan to take a long rest in the forenoon, but the statement of President Roosevelt, in which the president ordered the charges made against Haskell by William H. Taft, that Haskell had been connected with the Standard Oil company and had attempted to bribe Attorney General McMeekin of Ohio, was sufficient to cause him to forego that much needed luxury and devote himself to the subject of preparing a reply. Allocated for an estimated five hours in consultations before commencing to address his telegram to the chief executive.

Arriving here at 6:30 o'clock in the morning, Bryan was given a rousing reception. The journey to Ann Arbor was made in his special car and upon his arrival there he was attended a cordial reception. To an audience of several thousand persons Bryan discussed the tariff, the trust question, the labor question, government ownership of bank deposits, the Democratic party's attitude on the highest question and an endorsement of anti-trust and several other subjects. Taft for his characterization of the Democratic platform plank on this question as "loosey draw and an attack on the industrial system."

Returning to Detroit shortly after a o'clock, Bryan addressed a number of Democratic rallies in the latter Guard armory. Unlike these were thousands whose desire for admission, avoided them, as the building was packed to the doors, but he gave them a brief evening talk. In both addresses he compared the platforms of the two parties and went over practically the same ground he did at Ann Arbor.

TO CONSULT WITH TAFT.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—After spending tickets for the return of himself and party to New York, Chairman Hiram Cook of the Republican national committee changed his plans and decided to remain here until Thursday. This will give him an opportunity to consult with Mr. Taft in this city this evening, such a conference being desired by the presidential candidate.

NO REPLY FROM HASKELL.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 23.—Governor Haskell declined to issue a statement in reply to the Roosevelt and Hiram Standard Oil charges, for the reason, he said, that William J. Bryan had answered them in his telegram to President Roosevelt.

ARTIST HOWARTH DEAD.

Philadelphia, Sept. 23.—J. M. Howarth, aged 42, one of the best known comic artists in the country, died at his home in Germantown from pneumonia. He is credited with having originated the comic series, using the same characters day after day. In the newspapers, two of his best known series were "E. Z. Mark" and "Lulu and Leander."

BOLIVIAN INDIANS.

The Majority Are Semi-intoxicated From the Cracks to the Grave.

The Indian women of Bolivia are usually superior to their lords in actual intelligence; also in age, as a rule. They earn the larger share of their annual "living" and take the lead in most things. As recognized head of the house the Bolivian Indian wife is much more likely to thrash her comparatively stupid spouse than to be thrashed by her. In the markets, when produce has to be disposed of, she can drive a far better bargain than he could; she can carry as heavy burdens, endure as much privation and physical toil, labor, chew as much coca and drink as much strong drink.

Little or no money passes among the Bolivian Indians, their mediums of exchange being whatever they may raise or the labor of their hands. They will eat when not hungry, drink when not thirsty, sleep when not sleepy, anywhere and any time when opportunity offers, "against the time of need," as they say. The majority are in a state of semi-intoxication from hunchweed to the grave, alcohol being used on every pretext, freely as their means will allow, on occasions of births, deaths and feast days—the last custom being remarkably frequent—Buenos Aires.

HIS COAT OF ARMS.

It Was Fairly Earned Since He Descended From a King.

A man applied to the college of heraldry for a coat of arms, says a writer in the Cornhill Magazine, and was asked if any of his ancestors had been renowned for any singular achievements. The man paused and considered, but could recollect nothing.

"Your father," said the herald, adding his memory, "your grandfather, your great-grandfather?"

"No," returned the applicant, "I never knew that I had a great-grandfather or a grandfather."

"Of yourself?" asked this creator of dignity.

"I know nothing remarkable of myself," returned the man, "only that, being once locked up in Ludlow prison for debt, I found means to escape from an upper window, and that, you know, is no honor in a man's catechism."

"And how did you get down?" said the herald.

"I did enough," returned the man. "I promised a cool, fixed it round the neck of the statue of King Lud on the outside of the building and thus let myself down."

"I have it," said the herald. "No honor! Literally descended from King Lud! And his coat of arms will do for you."

It was certainly reprehensible, though one cannot but smile at the bold trick played one night by half a dozen men in Paris. These individuals rang at the door of a private house, and before the servant could announce their arrival the leader had donned an official scarf and introduced himself as a police commissioner, seized about \$1,000 which was lying on the table as stakes in a game of poker, saying he would not trouble the host and his guests to call at the office that evening, but would be obliged if they would do so the next morning. The "commissioner," with his escort, politely departed. When the players dutifully called at the office the next day, their visit created visible surprise, and they learned, to their disgust, that this police commissioner of the night before had tricked them and their \$1,000 had been carried off by a gang of thieves. So much for playing poker and having an uneasy conscience. Boston Herald.

An Easy Word.

This is what happened to a Glasgow workman when he tried to make his wife home life happy by reading the police news to her as contained in his evening paper. In due course he reached an interesting trial for assault, the report of which concluded as follows:

"This case was held over until tomorrow, as the presiding magistrate said he found considerable difficulty in pronouncing sentence."

"Dear me," commented the reader's wife, "the case has been a man of middle condition, surely, or he would have found any difficulty in pronouncing an easy case word like that."—London Advertiser.

A Bit of Advice.

This is a bit of advice offered by the Gleaner Gazette:

Young man, if you should come across a girl who, with a face as radiant as a kiln-drier, says as you appear at the door, "I will be busy for half an hour yet, for the dishes are not washed," just squat right down on the doorstep and wait for her, because some other chap may come along and secure the prize, and right there you will have lost an angel.

So It Is.

Teacher—If a vehicle with two wheels is a bicycle and one with four wheels is a tricycle, what is one with only one wheel?

Scholar—A wheelbarrow.—The teacher bits.

A Sporting Event.

Mrs. Peck—Henry, do you see anything in the paper about Father running over his mother-in-law's Mr. Peck?

Not yet. I haven't come to the sporting news.—Puck.

The Poor Men.

Nell—A girl shouldn't marry a man till she knows all about him. Belle—Good question! If she knew all about him she wouldn't want to marry him.—Philadelphia Record.

THE HIPPOCRATIC OATH.

What Every Conscientious Physician Undertakes to Do.

"First and last, day and night, he who has given himself to the cause of medicine sees the most sorrowful, the most terrifying, the most pitiful, state of humanity," says a writer in Appleton's Magazine. "His training is in the name, where the elements of life may touch even the lowest and basest. His service is demanded in sickness and pain, and his final act, as frequently as the rising of the sun, is to close the eyes forever of others, even perhaps those whom he brought into the world. He is the possessor of secrets, the repository of sorrow."

"Into whatever house I enter I will go for the benefit of the sick. With purity and helpness I will pass my life and practice my art. So far the oath administered by Hippocrates to his students almost five centuries before Christ, and so still stands today the physician's ideal. Medicine then partook of a character of holiness, for the student, too, swore to reckon him who taught me this art equally dear to me as my parents, to look upon his offering in the same leading as my own brothers and to teach them this art if they shall wish it without fee or stipulation."

"Can any one today with an inkling of the life of the disciple of medicine doubt that the spirit of this ancient oath is rigidly observed in its practice, or that, as Hippocrates declared 2,500 years ago, 'Whatever in connection with my professional practice or not in connection with it I see or hear in the life of men which ought not to be spoken abroad I will not divulge, as reckoning all that should be kept secret?'"

BUENOS AIRES.

An Orderly City In Which Affairs Are Well Conducted.

Things are done well in the City of Good Aires. There are good things to eat, comfortable rooms to live in, places where a man can get his exercise and outdoor sport. After the traps the gringo feels like a man who has been hopping from foothold to foothold in a swamp and steps at last on a solid ground. The creature comforts of a capable, wide awake, well arranged city soothingly envelop him. The cheerful knowers where he wants to go, the waiter knows what he wants to eat. The mounted policeman, in his uniform and his hat, in his hand, his back with the rest of the crowd, and does it so quickly and with such sophisticated nonchalance that he promptly conceives a pleasant admiration for that policeman and his beautiful horse, falls into the conventional public common to all city dwellers and is ready to declare that there is no other police man so fine in the world. The streets are clean and well kept, and the buildings which in the town, however grotesquely their architecture, are held within decorous human and midwestern limits of height. Everything is near at hand. The hotel, club, bank, drive, the rest man and theaters are all within so to say feeling distance. And this physical compactness and neatness, set here on the glitter and activity, set here on the calmness to give the whole a certain distinctiveness and very human morning. The "commissioner," with his escort, politely departed. When the players dutifully called at the office the next day, their visit created visible surprise, and they learned, to their disgust, that this police commissioner of the night before had tricked them and their \$1,000 had been carried off by a gang of thieves. So much for playing poker and having an uneasy conscience. Boston Herald.

Accomplices.

A rival to the celebrated Mrs. Mads prop is to be found in a certain New York street car conductor. The other day a party of several women boarded his car. They were not able to find seats together, and two sat on the opposite side from the others. The woman who paid the fares for the group offered the conductor a half dollar, neglecting to mention how many fares were to be taken from it.

"You're paying for these four here," he said, indicating those who sat in the back of the car, "and," waving his hand in the direction of the two on the opposite side, "here those ladies implicated?" New York Times.

The Grave of Adam.

April 1 was marked on old calendars as the "Memorial of Adam." The old saints' calendar that Adam, when dying, charged his children to bury his body, embalmed with myrrh, benzoin and cassia, in the cave of Makara, near paradise. When they carried the place they were to cover his body to the center of the earth, whence would come salvation to his posterity. This is said to have been done by Noah and Methuselah, who reburied him on the sacred hill of Calvary. Chicago News.

Pleasant.

"The two men talked for a time in the train."

"Are you going to Mr. Perkins' lecture tonight?" asked one.

"Yes," answered the other.

"What time will you be there?"

"I'll be there at eight and don't. I hear Perkins is a first-class lecturer."

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Positive Proof.

Perkins—How can you tell whether a couple are married or not? Doubtkeeper—If he orders two whole portions, they are not; if he orders one portion for two, they are—Punch.

Her Sweet Answer.

Tom—And what you proposed she gave you a sweet answer? Dick—She did, indeed, Tom. "What's the matter?" Dick—No, she said "Yes."—Chicago News.

One should not.

One should not let his principles for kindness or for charity, or any other than he would sell them for cash.—Dallas News.

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KITTERY LETTER

Newsy Items From
Across the RiverHappenings in Our Busy
Sister TownVarious Paragraphs of Social
and Personal InterestGossip of a Day Collected by Our
Correspondent

Kittery, Sept. 23.
Mr. Joseph Stevens of Bar Harbor is visiting his uncle and aunt, on Government street.

The meetings of the Ladies' Circle of the Second Christian church, are now all preparatory to the annual sale of Oct. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin G. Lord of Locke's Cove are enjoying in the first visit of the "stork" to their household. It is a boy.

Miss Hulda Cron of Cleveland, O., has concluded her visit at the Froh's, Locke's Cove.

Mrs. Charles Froh, accompanied by her daughter, Martha and Miss Cron, starts today for an extended visit to Boston, Holyoke and Albany, N. Y.

We are reminded, these dark evenings, especially with the streets in none too good condition from the recent excavations, for the water system, that the definite materialization of our oft-talked-of and partly provided lighting system would be a decided advantage, not to say safeguard. Some of our citizens are practically compelled to carry a lantern with them.

Many from here are taking in the Rochester fair this week.

One of the fair visitors, to our beautiful town recently met with an experience that, had she not taken it very philosophically, might have destroyed all the good impressions that congenial acquaintances have made. The experience was none other than to receive on her glasses and her fine lips the spittle ejected by a man riding in a passing car. To his credit be it said he did all a speeding car would allow to reveal his own chagrin.

Mr. Edgar S. Hatch of Rice's avenue, who recently underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at Dr. Cousins' private hospital at Portland, arrived home on Saturday last and Tuesday took a walk onto Badger's island.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Donnett, Mrs. Grant, Miss Remick and Mr. Oliver Remick visited the Rochester fair today in Mr. Remick's fine automobile.

A social dance was enjoyed by a party of thirty at Grange Hall last night.

Watch the date for the harvest supper at the Second Methodist Episcopal church.

A large number from here attended the fair at Rochester today.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Rogers, who have been enjoying a fortnight visit with relatives in Frankfort and Freeport, returned home today.

Mrs. Anna Onstott is a visitor in Portland.

A number from our village were in attendance at the marriage of Miss Gail Willis of Elliot, which occurred yesterday afternoon, at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Willis.

Regular meeting of Whipple Lodge of Good Templars comes this evening in Grange Hall.

Levi L. Goodrich is still suffering from rheumatism, which confines him to his home on the Rogers road.

Kittery Point

The annual field day of the Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts gypsy moth commissions will be observed at the Champenowne Thursday. It is expected that about 200 members will be present. The object of the assembly is to discuss the work of extermination of the pests, and to impress upon all the urgency of its speedy realization. The programme will include many interesting features, one of which will be a dance in the afternoon. For this attraction music will be furnished by Messrs. Rowe of Portsmouth and Carey, the latter one of the best cornetists in the country.

Lieut. Chauncey Shackford, U. S. N., was in town today, settling up the summer estate of his father, the late Capt. William G. Shackford of South

Orange, N. J. Lieut. Shackford, who, previous to entering the naval academy, passed many summers here, is now on a month's furlough from his duties at the Washington navy yard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Philbrook of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. L. Howard Worthington of Boston are registered at the Parkfield. Messrs. Philbrook and Worthington are officials of the Maine and Massachusetts gypsy moth commissions, respectively, and are here for the observance of the annual field day, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Urton of Limerick are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Lawry.

Capt. and Mrs. John Pruett have returned to their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., after being here to attend the funeral of John Pruett, Sr.

Miss Bessie Sawyer, Curtis Chick and Herbert Johnson are among those at the Rochester fair today.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fernald and Mrs. Robert Richards, who attended the funeral of Mrs. Ellen Leach, have returned to their home in Hyde Park, Mass.

Frank W. Cleaves returned Tuesday from a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. Westworth Seaward will entertain the W. C. T. U. Thursday afternoon.

Messrs. Webber and Goodwin gave a dance Tuesday evening in Grange hall, Kittery, which was well attended by people from this end of the town.

Arrived: Schooner William H. Clifford, Farrow, Baltimore, with 2400 tons of coal. Sailed: Barge No. 12, Baltimore; Strafford, South Amboy, N. J.

Judson G. Irish is out of doors after a severe illness.

STRUCK HIM ON THE NOSE

Portsmouth Boy Injured While Playing Baseball at Manchester

John Driscoll of this city, a student at St. Anselm's College, Manchester, is suffering from a broken nose, sustained while playing ball at the college grounds a few days ago.

STATE COLLEGE

A winning football team is hardly in the stage of a hopeful dream at the New Hampshire State Agricultural College. Only one man of last year's team is eligible, though through there is some good material among the eligibles, including last year's captain, and high hopes of the entering class. The most assured outlook is that some of the ineligible may be able to play by making up deficiencies in their studies.

Coach Gill, formerly of Yale and season the coach at the university of California, has charge of the squad this fall.

At a mass meeting of students on Tuesday the general idea was expressed to support a football team, even if a freshman team. The meeting was opened with an address by C. Chase, president of New Hampshire College Athletic Association.

Speeches followed by President W. D. Gibbs, O. R. Whoriskey, A. B. Football coach C. O. Gill, Yale, '09, H. A. Spencer, A. B., and C. D. Kennedy.

At a meeting of the New Hampshire College Athletic Association the resignation of James W. Tucker, football manager, was accepted. Len Smalley was unanimously elected to fill the position.

All is Vanity.

Vanity is so anchored in the heart of man that a soldier, a camp-follower, a cook, a porter, makes his boasts and is for having his admirers; even philosophers wish for them. Those who write against it, yet desire the glory of having written well; those who read, desire the glory of having read; I who write this way have this desire, and perhaps these who will read it.—Pascal.

When Talleyrand Scored.

When Mme. de Staël published her celebrated novel, "Delphine," she was supposed to have painted herself in the person of the heroine, and M. Talleyrand in that of an elderly lady, who is one of the principal characters. "They tell me," said he, the first time he met her, "that we are both of us in your novel, in the disguise of women."

Prosperity and Adversity.

If we do not suffer ourselves to be transported by prosperity, neither shall we be reduced by adversity. Our souls will be proof against the dangers of both these states; and, having explored our strength, we shall be sure of it; for, in the midst of felicity, we shall have tried how we can bear misfortune.—Lord Bolognigroto.

Agreed with the Lecturer.

During a lecture at one of the leading colleges on the subject of "Ventilation and Architecture," the temperature of the room rose to a very high pitch. "And now we will turn to Greece," said the lecturer. "So we will," said one of the audience, wiping his brow. "Unless you open some of the windows."

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GALLINGER TO RETIRE AS
STATE COMMITTEE HEAD

(Continued from the first page.)

I beg to be excused from further service in the state chairmanship.

With high regard and good wishes, know me to be
Yours faithfully,
J. H. GALLINGER.

Henry H. Quabbe, Lakeport, N. H.

WILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
Handsome New Building Dedicated in
a New Hampshire Town

The new Gregg Free Library was dedicated and the exercises drew a large number of people from this and neighboring towns. At 11 o'clock at the library building, the Rev. H. H. Pondleton, father of the first Wilton library, offered prayer, which was followed by singing by a quartette. At noon the Women's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans furnished a banquet at the town house to the guests. At one o'clock the dedication exercises were continued at the town hall, the opening address being given by George E. Bales, president of the day.

The library building, which is one of the best in the state and cost \$60,000, has a frontage of seventy-five feet and is sixty-five feet in depth. Four five-ton limestone columns add greatly to its appearance. The delivery and general reading room is finished in mahogany, the children's room in birch, the stack room and upstairs in cypress, the reference room in early birch and the stairs in quartered oak. The library occupies a slightly position, and is equipped with up-to-date fixtures.

David A. Gregg, donor of the library, was born in New Boston in 1840. He was engaged in Wilton in the flour, grain and grocery business until 1871, when he went to Nashua and, with his father, established the saw and door and blind business which bears his name. He has held various town offices in Wilton, and represented the town in the legislature in 1874. In 189 he represented the Nashua district in the state senate. He is a prominent Mason, and has a wife and five children.

HOG AND HEDGEHOG

There was lively agitation on the Rosewood side at Peacock for a short time on Tuesday and some of the citizens thought a murder or another atrocious happening was in progress, but investigations revealed that the pig which Louis DeChamps is fattening up for winter was the center of the trouble.

Mr. DeChamps, who is a well known Grand Army of the Republic veteran, went down to the hog pen to provide the porker with its morning sustenance and was surprised to find the animal in a most peculiar state. In fact, the sight which was before him made Mr. DeChamps rub his eyes with astonishment. Piggy seemed to have grown a crop of extraordinary bristles overnight and to have mixed a streak of insanity as well, for it was rolling about and snorting madly.

His astonishment slightly subsided the hog's owner recognized the cause of the disturbance. A big hedgehog was clinging to a post in the corner of the pen. The porcupine had been driven to its perch by the hog, after filling the pig with quills. Mr. DeChamps succeeded in killing the intruder, which tried the scales at twenty-five pounds.

The attempt to remove the quills that were driven into the hog's flesh, brought forth such agonized squealing from that animal, the noise arousing the whole neighborhood.

SECOND DISTRICT COUNCILOR

Dr. Henry W. Houtwell of Manchester was nominated for councilor at the second district councilor convention held in Manchester on Tuesday.

TAKEN TO BIDDEFORD

The body of Mrs. Emily R. Small was taken today to Biddeford, her native place, for burial.

INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES
CONGRESS AT WASHINGTONDelegates From Every Country Present
And Interesting Subjects Discussed

Washington, Sept. 23.—Many foreign countries and practically every state and territory in the Union are represented by delegates in attendance upon the fourth International fisheries congress, which met last night. Its sessions will continue for five days. More than 500 delegates representing foreign governments and societies, American states and societies and others were present.

As a prelude to the opening of the congress the foreign delegates assembled at the state department and were received by Secretary of State Root. After this the delegates repaired to the hall of the National Geographic Society, where the congress was formally opened.

George M. Bowers, United States commissioner of fisheries, presided. Secretary Straus of the department of commerce and labor delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the United States government.

Secretary Straus said, in part:

"Last spring President Roosevelt in his wisdom and foresight, invited the Governors of all the states and territories to meet here in Washington, and to discuss the question of the conservation of the nation's natural resources—the land, the forests, the waters and the minerals. This International congress, which has for its main object the conservation and the culture of fish life, is in full accord with that constructive statesmanship which today commands the attention of the scientists, philosophers and statesmen of all the enlightened nations of the world.

"The fisheries have been to us in this country of the highest importance, not only as an important article of food supply, but as an industry from the very beginning of our his-

tory. It is said that our Pilgrim Fathers, of whom we are very proud in this country in the first two years after their arrival lived almost entirely upon fish which they caught in their salt ponds. To what extent the wonderful intellect that is shown by their descendants is due to these two years of almost exclusive fish diet, I must leave to you men of science to determine.

"New England, during the early colonial period, had almost no manufactures, and practically its only exports were lumber and dried fish. Fish, when salted or cured, even in those days, seemed to excite thirst, and perhaps it was for that reason that their vessels that carried the fish to the West Indies brought back in exchange a liberal supply of rum, molasses and sugar. To what extent this liberal supply of rum, in the early history of New England, has contributed to the prohibition movement into such an important political issue, I know not, but they surely can say, historically speaking, Lord, we have had our fill.

"In conclusion, gentlemen, permit me to add that there is no greater evidence of the enlightened modern spirit and the bond that unites the nations of the world into one great brotherhood than these international educators, the scientists, the scholars and men of affairs, come together to advance and promote the welfare and happiness of mankind.

"I bespeak for you every success in your learned deliberations. We have much to learn from you who have come to us from many distant shores, and perhaps something to teach. In any event, what we have is yours, together with the tender of our most hearty welcome and cordial hospitality."

NEW HAMPSHIRE HORTICULTURE
Plans for the Annual Meetings and
Exhibit at Milford

The horticultural society of New Hampshire held the fourteenth annual meeting at Milford, N. H., Oct. 20, 21 and 22.

A copy of the premium list and preliminary programme has been received at this office.

A large number of premiums is to be given and some special prizes for exhibits in this particular line. A strong programme headed by prominent horticulturalists is promised.

Such exhibits and discussions are very helpful to progressive agriculturists. Our county fairs are doing their greatest service, when those who attend can return with some new ideas or new inspiration for their work.

The Horticultural Society has adopted a special line of work and has provided a programme worth the time and expense involved to any one who attends or the information he can receive.

ENGLISHMAN MISSING

Wife in England Hunting for Husband in New England

A wife and children in England, who are in distress, are anxious to hear of H. J. Southworth, formerly of England, who was known somewhat in New Hampshire a few years ago.

He came to this country about five years ago, went to Scotland and worked for a time at Scot. Scotland. In a few months he went to Boston to work at the plumbing trade and was sent to Proctorsville, Vt.

The last letter his wife received contained a money order and was posted at the North station, Boston, two years ago. No word has since been received from him and it is not known whether or not he is living.

He was noble grand of Fair Flax Lodge, Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows, in Wallingford, London, Eng., five years ago and it is thought that he may have joined the Odd Fellows in this country.

MINISTER'S GOLDEN WEDDING

New Hampshire Methodist Conference Sends a Purse of Gold

Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Cole celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with a golden reception on Tuesday at the residence of their son, Harry J. Cole,

Amherst street, Haverhill, Mass. Over 100 relatives, friends and former parishioners were present. The assemblage included friends from Lynn and Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole were assisted in receiving by their daughter, Miss Helen M. Cole, and their granddaughters, Miss Lillian Cole, Mrs. John C. Lamb and Miss J. E. Adams, present at the church home.

The couple received many gifts, including gold coin aggregating \$200. The largest purse was from the New Hampshire Methodist conference, with which Mr. Cole has been affiliated since 1820, he being the thirtieth oldest member of the conference. The presentation was made by Rev. J. W. Adams of Methuen.

Mr. Cole has held pastorates in many New Hampshire towns and was for a time one of the professors in Western University at Nashua, N. H. Though residing in Haverhill, and at seventy-four years, he is nothing as the present pastor of the Methodist church at Keene, N. H.

CANTON'S DANCE

The Canton Center held an informal dancing party at their hall on Tuesday evening, and Rowe and Holt furnished the music.

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SEPTEMBER 23.

SUN RISES 5:47 MOON RISES 4:47
SUN SETS 6:41 MOON SETS 1:41
LONG DAY 12:26

New Moon, Sept. 26th, 9:54a. morning, E.
First Quarter, Oct. 1st, 10:10a. morning, W.
Full Moon, Oct. 8th, 4:30a. evening, E.
Last Quarter, Oct. 15th, 10:30a. evening, E.

THE WEATHER

Two rainstorms, one to prevail late tonight and tomorrow, the other one due about next Sunday or Monday, comprise the main features of the program prepared for us hereabouts by the weather bureau. Whether the rainfall will be sufficiently extensive and copious to put out the raging forest fires and give a welcome view once more of the sun and the stars in all their glory, remains to be seen. But we hope for a good rain.

Today has been smoky, just like yesterday, and warm like yesterday. That everything feels parched and baking may be judged from the fact that this is the twenty-ninth successive rainless day.

A good southwest breeze alleviates the heat somewhat.

The two o'clock temperature was eighty-one.

CITY BRIEFS

Still smoky, but we have hopes.
South Pond smelt's worse than ever.

All roads lead to Rochester this week.

Have your shoes repaired at John Morris, 34 Congress street.

Reports of the damage that the drought is doing continue to come in.

The board of health say the last case of diphtheria has been cleared up.

Portsmouth city government will have a meeting on Thursday evening.

The Portsmouth Evening Herald is twenty-four years old today. It is a twenty-four-year-old success.

Many from this city will attend the annual convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Newport next week.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Backache Kidney Pills is enough. Treatment of chronic constipation, 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

The bathing suits provided for the "Boaters" or "Brothers" in "Prince Hamburg" are not likely to be adopted as the general fashion if reports of their scantiness may be relied upon. These costumes are said to reach the limit of decency.

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE

Coach Dr. O'Connor put the Dartmouth football squad through two hard bits of practice. In both sessions, Ben Alline, '02, a famous Dartmouth tackle, assisted the coaches with the freshmen. Joe Gilman, who is to be an assistant to Coach Dr. O'Connor, arrived in town tonight and will be on hand tomorrow. He expects to stay through the week. The coaches devoted their attention to plays connected with the new game and the team took hold very well. In the afternoon, the regular routine work was followed, passing and catching the ball and running down punts. Both coaches Dr. O'Connor and Sage took a hand in directing the freshmen breaking through. For the freshmen, this is becoming the hardest part of the practice.

Five eleveners were picked out for special practice and the first two raved up and down the field in middle season form trying out new formations. Among the new men out were Haddon, a former Oliver college halfback, who was ineligible last year and "Dutch" Conterell, last year's captain of Worcester Academy's first team.

CHINAMAN FROM
PORTSMOUTHGets His Murder Appeal Before
Highest Massachusetts Court

Another step was taken Tuesday in the case of Joe Guey, Min Sing, Hoon Weon, Leong Gung and Warry Charles, the Chinamen who, with four others, were tried and convicted on a charge of murder, in the superior court at Boston last March.

Leong Gung is well known in Portsmouth and was captured here after fleeing from Boston at the time of the crime.

The case came up on a petition from the defendants in regard to exceptions, a hearing being given before the full bench of the supreme court sitting at Springfield.

In brief the petition recites: That during the course of the trial in the superior court counsel for the defendants offered evidence to show that special officer John E. Linton and one Yee Wah, who were engaged in the preparation of the government's case had conspired together to suborn witnesses to testify, principally against Warry Charles. That the offer was made orally at the bench and that the offer was overruled and the evidence excluded.

That, at the suggestion of the court the offer was reduced to writing, and that on the Monday following it was thus submitted to the court.

That the trial court says that the defendants did not take exceptions to the refusal to accept the oral offer; that the court also says that it made no ruling upon the offer; and that the trial court declined to allow the bill of exceptions as filed.

The bill of exceptions and the certificate of the presiding justices, attached to the bill and disallowing it, were made a part of the petition, which was filed in the supreme judicial court on July 18, and sought to have the bill of exceptions, as filed in the trial, established.

At the hearing Harvey H. Pratt appeared for the defendant petitioners and Asst. Dist. Atty. Michael J. Sawyer for the government. Mr. Pratt asked that the court appoint a commissioner to take testimony in the matter of the petition, and at the close of the hearing Chief Justice Marcus P. Knowlton took the papers and announced that the court would later appoint a commissioner as requested.

This being a case involving capital punishment, it is probable that the appointment will be speedily made in order that a hearing may be had before the full court at the November session.

Some time ago the justices presiding at the trial granted a motion of the defendants for a new trial, so far as it related to the cases of Yee Jung, Wong Duck, Wong How and Dong Bok Lung, but declined it in the cases of the five others named above.

Subsequently, after a reargument on the motion for a new trial, the government entered a not pros in the case of Yee Jung, and he was set free.

While there is nothing to prevent the calling of Wong Duck, Wong How and Dong Bok Lung to trial at any time, it would be unusual to do so while the cases of the other five defendants are pending in the supreme court.

WANTED A MEAL TICKET

Along With His Railroad Transportation to Rochester Fair

Heard at the depot ticket office this morning:

Man with a roll of bills that would make a cow: "Give me a ticket to Rochester fair; what's the price?"

Ticket Agent: "One dollar and fifty cents, please."

"Does this give me a round trip and admittance to the grounds?"

"Certainly, that covers everything."

"Do I get my dinner on this ticket, too?"

This question brought down the house and the several lady passengers held their breath and glided over in the corner to restrain their laugh while the ticket agent looked for each other in amazement.

"Tell him, Charles," said Nan, "and tell him quick, we don't furnish any lunches on this occasion."

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Johnson at their home on Middle street Tuesday evening tendered a reception to Lieut. Scudder Plyce, U. S. N., and Miss Ethel Breda Hovey, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Emerson Hovey, whose engagement was recently announced.

Mrs. Johnson and the Misses Johnson were in the receiving line with the popular young couple.

The fees were served by Miss Pauline Bradford.

A large number of the friends of Lieut. Plyce and Miss Hovey were present to offer their congratulations.

The feature of the occasion was a shower of handkerchiefs for the bride.

MR. WOOD'S NEW DOG

Only a Puppy But He Gets More Attention Than His Owner

George A. Wood has bought a dog. It is a shepherd pup of the coloring known as sable, and is an extra fine pure bred animal. He has been named Tip.

Mr. Wood was telling about the pup, and said: "I got him at Farmington, and felt that I had got a good one, but I didn't realize how good."

"I could walk along the street and my acquaintances would say good morning and most everybody would allow me sidewalk room, but all strangers from everywhere and sometimes acquaintances would pass without noticing."

"But when I had little Tip in my arms it was different. Strangers would stop and ask: 'How old is he?' 'Where did you get him?' 'Do you mind telling how much you paid for him?' 'What breed is he?' 'How much does he weigh?' 'Is he full blood?' 'Can he do any tricks?' 'Got a large flock of sheep for him to run with?' and a lot more questions."

"My friends talk even more than that. They won't let me alone about the dog. And everybody, strangers as well as folks I have known all my life, smile and look happy and tell me what a good thing it is for me to have a dog."

"It was that way every rod of the journey from Farmington to Portsmouth when I was bringing him home and has been the same since I got him to the city."

"It's worth more than that puppy cost to have these expressions of good will from so many people."

Mr. Wood states that Mrs. Wood is also pleased with the dog.

HUSKING BEE

Old Fashioned Recreation Was a Great Success Tuesday Night

A husking bee was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Weeks of Hayside, last evening.

The corn was placed in the middle of the barn floor and the people were then ready to work for the hot supper which was awaiting them, when the corn was husked.

They worked from half past seven until quarter of ten and had a most enjoyable evening. In husking one hundred and fifty bushels of corn.

People from Exeter, Portsmouth and Greenland were present, to take part in the work.

Judge Shute of Exeter was there with his usual witty sayings.

The work was followed by a bounteous supper and by games.

SEYMOUR-MURPHY

Popular Young Lawrence Lady Becomes the Bride of Portsmouth Resident

Congratulations are in order and many are being extended to Horace P. Seymour, son of Police Officer William Seymour of Denant street, who was united in marriage on Tuesday to Miss Clara Alice Murphy at the home of the bride in Lawrence.

The groom is a popular employee of the steam engineering department at the navy yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour will reside in this city.

PERSONALS

Capt. E. K. Moore, U. S. N., has been on a trip to Washington.

Lewis W. Crockett of Manchester spent Tuesday night in the city.

G. Fred Drew has returned from a ten days' trip through the South.

Miss Martha Greenough, of the G. B. French Company is on her vacation.

Arthur H. Locke and wife have been passing a few days with relatives in Concord.

J. Howard Dodge of Maplewood avenue, is passing the day at Rochester fair.

A. D. Foster is to enter the employ of A. H. Bickmore and company of New York.

Miss Susan J. Wentworth will sail on Saturday for this country, after a five months tour of Europe.

Miss Elizabeth Farley of the Miss Smith dress-making parlors is on her annual vacation of two weeks.

Edwin P. Norris will return to Dartmouth College today to resume his studies in the opening of the college.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry were among the Portsmouth passengers on the special train, for the fair grounds today.

Oskar Aiche of the Portsmouth Brewing company is attending the Brewmasters' convention, now in session at Albany.

Miss Harriet S. Plaisted of York Beach has matriculated as a student at the Western Maine Normal School in Gorham.

John Lydon of the Soldiers' Home at Topus and John Hayes of the New Hampshire home at Tilton, are passing a furlough in this city.

George R. Woods and Harold S. Woods, both sons of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Woods, have returned to their studies at Yale and Tufts College respectively.

Fred Pike, for several years employed as a wireman at the Rockingham County Light and Power company left on Tuesday for Sydney, N. S., where he will pass several weeks.

Mrs. Kell, wife of Major William H. Kell, U. S. A., retired, who has been passing a few days with her sister, Mrs. Edgar M. Jewett of Islington street, has left for Boston. Major and Mrs. Kell will pass the winter at the South.

Governor Floyd and his council left Tuesday for a trip over the mountain roads which will take them as far as Gorham and consume the whole of the week. Bretton Woods and the Profile house will be among their stopping places.

Mr. F. M. McCloy, the advance representative of Frank Laier in the "Prince Hamburg" was here on Tuesday making the arrangements for the appearance of that famous comedian at Music Hall on Wednesday evening of next week.

POLICE COURT

The court rendered its decision today in the assault case of Edgar Blaisdell of Haverhill against Rufus Woods which was heard on Tuesday afternoon and ordered that Woods pay a fine of \$2.00 and costs of \$0.50.

John Raulson, a crazy Polander, who howled the whole night long at the police station from the effects of bad booze, was before the court today, charged with drunkenness. He will be released when he hands over \$2.00 and costs \$0.50.

REV. FR. LEDDY

Rev. Charles Leddy of Epping, who was ordained to the priesthood at the cathedral Saturday morning, has been appointed curate to Rev. J. A. Doucet of St. Anthony's church in Manchester. Fr. Leddy celebrated his first mass Sunday at his home in Epping. He will report for duty on Saturday.

The weather bureau holds out a promise of rain.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the weather man has put the line storm on a side track—
That Dick Donovan with his camera has made several choice hits and part of his collection will later be found as a feature of a well conducted art gallery—

That bets were made today that William A. Hodgdon would be one of the Republican nominees for county commissioner—

That a sporting member of the Christian Shore Bottling company will turn up the turf with his pacer on the track at the Rochester fair today—

That the Frank Jones Brewing company are putting a fine walk from Islington street through the yard to their office—

That Ralph McCarthy is assisting government engineers who are engaged in surveying at Great Bay—

That the politicians are holding up their friends right and left—

That rumors are flying again regarding the Winter schedule of the Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury street railway—

That the Morley Button company is getting considerable of their old work back again—
HERALD MAN ETC., ETC., ETC.

That supplies from the store-rooms of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad are now being sent out on the Boston and Maine system for use—

That Portsmouth will have over twenty-five criminal cases in the superior court next month—

That Portsmouth navy yard will later build another ferry boat for use on the river—

That the Emerald Handball club wants to toss a few with the brewery sports—

That "Babe," the pet horse on Vaughan street, can be seen every morning after his pastry and doughnuts—

That Col. Edward Stanley refuses to discuss the political situation from any standpoint—

That Thomas Hathorn, a former resident of this city, and a workman at the Portsmouth Shoe company, is reported quite ill at his home in Newburyport—

That the bug hunters in the woods are organizing a tug-of-war team and want to meet any team that the Portsmouth Brewery company can produce—

That a well known local restaurant keeper has his help made up from six different nationalities—

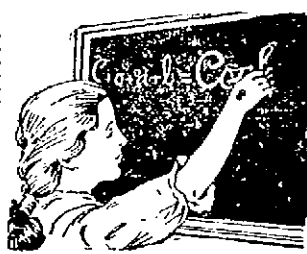
That a new restaurant has opened on Deer street—

That the Veteran Firemen are in excellent trim for the playout at Rochester on Friday—

The force of linemen for the Rockingham County Light and Power company has been reduced to three men—

That the residents of York are still on the hunt for the firebug.

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